GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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POLICE STATIONS IN TENTS IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some police stations of the Capital are functioning in tents;

(b) if so, the details of the aforesaid police stations and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the efforts made by the Government for the construction of permanent buildings for the police stations and for their maintenance?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)&(b): Only one Police Station at Delhi is presently functioning from tented accommodation.This is mainly because Delhi Police could not take over possession of the land allotted by Delhi Development Authority for construction of a permanent building for the said Police Station initially due to pendency of a court case and later because of encroachment on the said plot of land.

(c): A substantial enhancement in the allocation of plan funds has been made to enable Delhi Police to improve its housing satisfaction.